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DAILY TRIBUNE.

Monday Morning.....Feb. 15 1858.

Municipal Election.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Election on Tuesday, March 2d, 1858.

FOR MAYOR,

JOHN C. HAINES.

CITY MARSHAL.

JACOB REHM.

CITY SUPERINTENDENT.

ALONZO HARVEY.

CITY COLLECTOR.

JOSEPH N. HENDRICKS.

CITY ATTORNEY.

ELLIOTT ANTHONY.

CITY SEXTON.

ALEXANDER WOLCOTT.

RECORDER.

ROBERT S. WILSON.

CLERK OF RECORDER'S COURT.

JOSEPH K. C. FORREST.

STREET COMMISSIONERS.

NORTH DIVISION.

DON C. HAWLEY.

WEST DIVISION.

JAMES FURNEY.

SOUTH DIVISION.

JACOB PORTMANN.

ALDERMEN.

I.	Ward....	JAMES LONG.
II.	"	CHARLES H. ABBOTT.
III.	"	CHAS. P. FARWELL.
IV.	"	ERNST PRUSSING.
V.	"	JASPER D. WARD.
VI.	"	JOHN VON HORN.
VII.	"	HENRY WENDT.
VIII.	"	ANDREW J. WRIGHT.
IX.	"	BENJ. CARPENTER.
X.	"	D. FRANKLIN WILSON.

CONSTABLES.

I.	Ward....	CHARLES F. CRILSON.
II.	"	JEREMIAH COOKEWRIGHT.
III.	"	WILLIAM M. DONOVAN.
IV.	"	GEORGE A. FLEISMANN.
V.	"	JASPER V. CUTLER.
VI.	"	EDWIN G. FERRIS.
VII.	"	JOHN HETTINGER.
VIII.	"	MICHAEL WEISHURE.
IX.	"	SIMON F. TULLEY.
X.	"	ANTHONY OTTO.

The Republican Ticket.

If the acclamation by which the Republican ticket is hailed throughout the city is any indication of the probabilities of its success, there can be no doubt that every candidate therein will be triumphantly elected. Without exception, the nominees are fit and proper men for the places for which they are named; and they will command the votes of every man who is worthy of the name of Republican. They were fairly nominated, and with an unanimity that is as surprising as unexpected. The best interests of the city were consulted, and the wishes or sentiments disregarded, in making up the ticket. The WENTWORTH influence, about which there has been so much silly talk, was, if the Mayor attempted to control the action of the Convention, which we do not believe, overruled and set aside. Report had it that he made a point on KENNEDY, of the Sixth Ward, for Marshal. Mr. KENNEDY was withdrawn by his friends, and Mr. REHM was nominated by acclamation. The Ruffians who are fond of attributing all sorts of mischief to Long John were sure that he would nominate MILLER for City Attorney, and FRANK DUNHAM for Clerk of the Recorder's Court, to both of whom he was committed. The Convention selected ELLIOT ANTHONY for the former, and J. C. K. FORREST for the latter place—both good men. The Mayor's opposition to FORREST was so called for and unreasonable, but it was such as he had a right to make, though that does not prevent us from saying that we are glad he is nominated. FORREST has always been a anti-Slavery man; he was so while half of the Republican party of Cook County was training in the Democratic or Whig ranks. He has labored many years in the good cause, and we are glad he is to be promoted. That the editor of the *Democrat* wanted to receive him on that *journal*, is not at all surprising. But the Convention wanted to give Jo. a better place; and thought they could not look after the interests of any newspaper, when political interests were at stake. They did well in the matter of the Recordership, too; it is well known that Judge WILSON was not WENTWORTH's choice; and that he and his friends came into his support only from the weight of the outside pressure. So this fiddle-faddle about WENTWORTH and Wentworth's Convention all falls to the ground. The ticket was made by the Convention—not by outsiders; and we warn our Republican friends who do not think that Jonn WENTWORTH is the embodiment of Republicanism, that they must not be influenced by the cries that the opposition will set up. Let them take the nominees on their shoulders, and bear them straight along, and we shall not only elect them by a rousing majority, but shall thereby secure an Administration for the next year of which every Republican may justly be proud.

Great Cry and Little Wool.

From the noise and uproar the *Times* made on Saturday, we really thought it had discovered some gigantic fraud whereby the city had been robbed at least of half a million of dollars. Chinese gong to battle never beat their gongs more lustily, or created a more deafening racket, than the *Times* over the mare's nest it found. From divers ominous hints and innuendoes thrown out for a month past, we expected that it would burst a shell of the largest size in the sides of the Republican Convention, which would blow it to pieces. We warned particular friends, privately, to keep away from the Convention, as some infernal machine would surely explode, and send them all higher than a kite. We held our breath on the morning of the 12th, nervously waiting for the awful explosion which would shake the city like an earthquake. Hark! Good heavens! did you feel that shock? We ran out into the street to help count the dead and wounded.

[illegible] found out that, after all, it was only one of G. Whillik's "stinkpots" that had been thrown at the Convention, but had hit nobody.

It seems that the Dyer administration employed a number of defective policemen, whose names were kept secret, and in order that they could draw pay, fictitious names were placed on the pay roll. When the present administration came into power, the Chief of Police continued the practice for two or three months, and had three or four fictitious names entered upon the books, to represent his most detectives. When WENTWORTH found out, he broke up the practice, and gave directions to the Comptroller to pay out no more money unless the recipient came in his own person and receipted for it with his proper name. We doubt whether the Mayor acted wisely; we believe the Police Department should keep employed half a dozen skilful secret detectives, unknown to rogues, and there is no way by which they could receive their pay, except by the method of adopting fictitious names, as the Council has provided no secret service fund out of which to pay them. But without stopping to argue this matter, we will assume that the city has not lost one dollar; that every dime was paid to real persons for real services. The charges in the *Times* are all half a fabrication of truth, and made out of whole whole falsehood. They are simply MATTESON's game; when that is said, nothing more need be added.

CITY ITEMS.

Proceedings of the Republican City Convention.

Pursuant to notice, the Republican City Convention met in South Market Hall, at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, the 13th inst.

J. W. Waughop, Esq., called the Convention to order, and nominated Hon. ISAAC N. ARNOLD Chairman, and Messrs. Casper Butz and J. D. Ward Secretaries, who were unanimously chosen.

Mr. Waughop moved that a Committee of three on Credentials be appointed. Carried.

Messrs. J. W. Waughop, Wm. B. Egan and John H. Kinzie were appointed.

Some of the Delegates being absent, the vacancies were filled, and the following gentlemen composed the Convention:

FIRST WARD.—Henry Winning, J. W. Waughop, C. R. Curtiss, L. P. Hilliard, F. B. Clapp, Fred. Tuttle, Philip Wadsworth, Wirt Dexter and Frederick Mahin.

SECOND WARD.—Turnbald Hartman, Peter Wolf, Casper Butz, Charles Naglin, Orrin Kendall, J. M. Adsit, John Calhoun, S. L. Baker, L. W. Ross, Dolivet Walker, A. B. Wheeler, Henry Howland and Joseph Pellett.

THIRD WARD.—D. Horton, Henry Wright, M. Heinrich, John V. Farwell, F. Schoch, Starr Foot, John Lanstrum, A. Hottinger and A. H. Boyden.

FOURTH WARD.—B. H. Foss, Ernst Prussing, O. H. Salisbury, John Raber, Arnold Herr, H. B. Bay and J. C. Outhet.

FIFTH WARD.—Wm. B. Egan, Louis Heinis, Geo Borman, Wm. F. Waltz, N. Sturtevant, A. Allin, J. D. Ward, H. H. Yates and D. C. Rawleigh.

SIXTH WARD.—B. Cleveland, G. P. Outer, S. B. Cobb, J. M. Lambin, William Wayman, N. Lochner, John Amundsen, P. Beggh, A. C. Ellithorpe, Knud Iverson and G. F. Lavrentz.

SEVENTH WARD.—A. C. Hesing, Augustus Wallhaus, P. W. Kelsey, Jacob Beidi, Frederic Jorch, Gerhar Pistl, J. S. Melville, Isaac Harmon, Elias Shippen and Joseph Taylor.

EIGHTH WARD.—Eli Bates, W. G. White, G. H. Bay, Ivor Lawson, George Schneider and Charles Wahl.

NINTH WARD.—Geo. W. Dole, F. Gund, John H. Kinzie, I. N. Arnold and H. Kreismann.

TENTH WARD.—Wm. Bagg, F. Schilling, James Winship, Henry Niemayer, John Hizgman, S. B. Sampson, Fred. Haas.

Herman Kreismann, Esq., moved that the Chairman appoint three Vice-Presidents, one from each Division.

Messrs. Geo. Schneider, Reuben Cleveland and John Calhoun, were appointed.

W. H. Stickney, Esq., moved that the Convention proceed to an informal ballot for a candidate for Mayor. Carried.

Dr. C. H. Roy, of the TRIBUNE, nominated Mr. John C. Haines; Mr. T. Wadsworth, nominated Mr. George W. Gage; Mr. . C. Ellithorpe nominated Mr. C. N. Holden.

The ballot was then taken with the following result:

John C. Haines	72
C. N. Holden	18
George W. Gage	7
Total vote	97

A formal ballot was ordered, which resulted:

Haines	79
Holden	8
Gage	7
Total	94

Mr. Haines was declared the unanimous choice of the Convention, and a great deal of enthusiasm prevailed among Mr. Haines' friends.

On motion of Mr. Kreismann, a ballot was entered for a candidate for Marshal, which resulted:

Jacob Rehm	51
Kennedy	4
Total vote	55

Mr. Rehm was declared unanimously nominated.

Before the balloting commenced, Mr. Ward withdrew the name of Mr. J. M. Kennedy.

On motion of Mr. Stickney, a ballot was ordered for a candidate for City Attorney, which resulted:

Elliot Anthony	47
Reuben Wheeler	12
George A. Fowler	12
John D. Miller	4
Total vote	75

Mr. Anthony was declared unanimously nominated.

Ald. Ward moved that the Convention proceed to ballot for a candidate for Treasurer.

There being but one candidate for the nomination, Mr. Wahl withdrew his motion and Mr. Alonzo Harvey was nominated by acclamation.

Mr. Harvey was called out and briefly thanked the Convention for the honor conferred upon him.

Mr. Kreismann moved that the Convention proceed to ballot for a candidate for Collector.

There being but one candidate, Mr. Kreismann withdrew his motion and Mr. Joseph N. Hedricks was nominated by acclamation.

On motion of Mr. Starr Foot, a ballot was entered for a candidate for Surveyor, which resulted:

Alonzo Wolcott	41
L. A. Gratiot	16
Total vote	57

Mr. Wolcott was declared unanimously nominated.

Mr. Orrin Kendall moved that the Convention proceed to ballot for a candidate for Judge of the Recorder's Court.

Dr. Egan nominated Hon. Robert S. Wilson, the present incumbent; Van H. Higgins, Esq., and Calvin D'Wolf, Esq., were nominated.

Mr. H. B. Bay moved that no nomination be made.

After some discussion between Messrs. C. H. Bay, W. B. Egan, H. Kreismann, Casper Butz, W. H. Stickney, Wirt Dexter, and others, Mr. Arnold, the Chairman, stated that as to Judge Wilson's politics, he was opposed to the Cincinnati Platform, the Dred Scott Decision and the Pro-Slavery outrages in Kansas, and, furthermore, that Judge Wilson's name was brought before the Democratic City Convention against his wish.

Mr. John Baber stated that Judge Wilson had told him he would accept the nomination of this Convention.

A ballot for a candidate for Judge of the Recorder's Court was unanimously ordered, which resulted:

R. Sam'l S. Wilson	73
Calvin D'Wolf	2
Van H. Higgins	2
Total vote	77

Judge Wilson was declared unanimously nominated amid great enthusiasm.

On motion of Mr. Kendall an informal ballot was ordered for a candidate for Clerk of the Recorder's Court, which resulted:

Horace White	9
C. A. Huck	2
William Culver	11
J. L. G. Farrar	2
Frank Sherwood	12
A. D. Sherman	11
H. Theobald	1
W. F. D'Wolf	3
G. F. Sherwood	3
Total vote	55

A formal ballot was ordered, which resulted:

Farrar	19
Sherwood	12
Sherman	12
White	1
Culver	1
Huck	1
Theobald	1
Total vote	55

Mr. Ellithorpe withdrew the name of Mr. Culver.

Mr. Waughop moved that, in case there should be no choice upon the next ballot, the Convention ballot for only the two candidates receiving the highest vote. Carried.

Mr. Stallsand withdrew in favor of Mr. Forrest.

A third ballot was ordered, which resulted:

Farrar	29
Sherwood	24
Sherman	24
White	1
Total vote	57

A fourth ballot was ordered, but two candidates being voted for under the rule, which resulted:

Farrar	42
Sherwood	43
Total vote	85

Mr. Farrar was declared unanimously nominated.

The delegates from the different divisions then proceeded to nominate candidates for Street Commissioners. The following was the result of the last ballot, as reported to the Convention:

SOUTH DIVISION.

D. C. Hawley	37
E. Reynolds	1
Frank Leonard	1
Total vote	39

WEST DIVISION.

James Furney	19
Wm. H. Brown	16
Total vote	35

NORTH DIVISION.

Jacob Portmann	14
Nelson Holden	1
C. J. Wolf	1
Total vote	16

These nominations were unanimously confirmed by the Convention.

On motion of Mr. Kreismann, a vote of thanks to the officers of the Convention, was passed.

The Convention then adjourned with three rousing cheers for the Republican ticket.

LUMBERMEN'S MEETING.—A meeting of the Board of Lumbermen will be held at the Board of Trade Rooms, this afternoon at two o'clock. The Rules will be distributed at this meeting.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.—There will be a meeting of the Fourth Ward Club at Jos. Wiedmann's saloon, No. 370 South Wells street, on Monday evening, Feb. 15th, at 7½ o'clock. All Republicans are requested to attend. WM. KEENE, Sec'y.

CHICAGO TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION.—There will be a special meeting of this association at the TRIBUNE "News Room," this (Monday) morning at 9 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our deceased brother craftsman, THOMAS LEIGHTON. All members are requested to attend. By order of

E. S. DAVIS, Pres't.
E. P. WILKIE, Sec'y.

IN LUCK.—The *Democrat* states that a poor mechanic of this city, has become heir to a fortune of $40,000 or ($300,000.) by the will of a relative lately deceased in Australia. The will is in the hands of a gentleman of this city—having extensive practice in the prosecution of claims for heirs—to whom has been given the recovery of the estate.

ARREST OF GAMBLERS.—The police are after the gamblers, and on Friday and Saturday nights made descents upon several houses, arrested the inmates and captured their implements. The following persons were taken before the Police Court, and fined $20 each:—Barney Nellis, C. C. Hangerford, Geo. W. Russell, A. D. Westcott, L. R. Bush, J. Morey, Bill Percival and Edward Hogsett.

JUVENILE THIEVES.—Four boys, John Ellick, Dennis Dow, Frederick Hamilton and John Pratt, all under 11 years of age, were arrested for robbery. It seems that they went into the store of C. Rice, corner of Randolph and Wells streets, under the pretence of buying some toys, and while the salesman was attending to some ladies purchasing Valentines, they slipped behind the counter and robbed the till of $13. They were immediately arrested, and the money was found on them. They were all sent to the Reform School.

ANOTHER INFORMANT LAWSUIT.—A suit has been commenced in the Chancery side of the Circuit Court of this County for the recovery of blocks 101, 102 and 110, School Section Addition to Chicago; twenty acres, near the city limits, in section 32, township 39, range 14; six hundred acres of land at Blue Island, known as the "Morgan Place." The plaintiffs are Isaac H. Tuttle, Amos T. Goodhue, and Elizabeth T. Goodhue, and the defendants are the Rock Island Railroad Company, Michigan Southern Railroad Company, and one hundred and thirty-nine private individuals. The solicitors retained on behalf of the plaintiffs are Messrs. Kearney, F. J. Lemon, Hoyne, Miller and Lewis. This property was sold years ago, under a mortgage, which is alleged to have been defective and void.

CHEMISTRY.—At a meeting of the Chicago Typographical Union, held on Saturday evening, Feb. 13th, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to take from our number, our respected and much esteemed fellow-craftsman, B. W. VAN HORNE; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in this dispensation of a Divine Providence, we recognize the hand of a merciful God, and are again forcibly made to feel "what shadows we are and what shadows we pursue."

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with the family of our deceased brother, and tender them our heartfelt condolence.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late brother; and published in the several daily papers of this city.

E. S. DAVIS, President.
E. P. WILKIE, Secretary.

A REPUTABLE PHYSICIAN "SELL."—The *Troy Budget* tells a good story of the manner in which a certain M. D., residing in Troy, was recently taken in and completely "sold" by a German, a stranger. It seems the latter called on the aforementioned disciple of Esculapius for medical assistance, told him that he was there without money and without friends, and showed him papers which represented that he was worth considerable property at Chicago. The Doctor, "in the goodness of his heart," took the stranger in and "properly cared for him," until his fees on his hands. Before "grim death" had seized him, he made a will, leaving all his property to his benefactor, at the same time drawing a check for $5,500 on a western bank—that being the amount he stated he had on deposit at such bank—and kindly donated the proceeds to the Doctor. Rumor adds that he was decently laid out at the house of the Doctor, and buried in a respectable manner; but it is added that the property, check, money, etc., said to be owned by the deceased, have since turned out to be all in "his eye," and the Doctor's anticipations of realizing a "small fortune" have been blasted!

SONS OF MALTA.—The order of this name has become very numerous in Chicago. Many persons do not clearly understand its nature and objects, which are benevolence and amusement. In the State Senate of Pennsylvania, the other day, when a bill was called up to incorporate the Supreme Grand Council of the I. O. S. M., Senator Coffey, of Philadelphia, thus explained the purposes of the institution:

"No longer assuming to be the defenders of Christianity on the field of battle, they claim only to be the sons of that illustrious order of Knighthood which grew up in Malta such undying fame. Doffing the soldier and rejecting too the sectarian features of the parent stock, they have returned to the simple rule of duty which inspired the founders, in the year of grace, 1018, to establish a Hospital in Jerusalem, for the relief of sick and destitute pilgrims.

"With silent zeal and patient energy, the Sons of Malta pursue this high vocation. Seeking out misery wherever it may be found, they extend a timely and effective relief. In the true spirit of charity, they do good by stealth, and blush to hear the initiated tell aloud where the benediction falls. This world knows the results but not the process, and the mysterious minister of mercy, and he feeds the hungry and clothes the naked, asks no reward but the sweet luxury of doing good.

"There is another feature of their organization which should not be overlooked. All other benefical associations, I believe, are founded upon the principle of mutual aid. Their primary object is not to benefit others, but themselves. Reciprocity is the fundamental principle of the organization of the Sons of Malta, that no member of the order shall receive pecuniary aid. He gives, but he takes not. He gives of his ministry, but not the subject of his charities—he lives in the order all for others and not for himself. Surely no society founded by mere human agencies has ever so fully appreciated the divine idea of that charity which covers a multitude of sins."

BELL AND SLOAN'S FREE LECTURES.—Rev. H. Curtis, D. D., will deliver the 23d Lecture of the Winter Course, before Bell's Commercial College, in the new Hall, Portland Block, on Monday evening, Feb. 15th, at 7½ o'clock. Subject—Wealth, its influence on National Character and Development. Ladies are respectfully invited to attend.

NORTH'S NATIONAL AMPHITHEATRE.—This renowned Star Equestrian Spectacle, combine the Best of Drill, or the Revolt in India. This will be the first representation of this piece in this country. It has been got up with new scenic machinery, properties and costumes, on a most grand and beautiful scale. We predict for it a most extraordinary good run.

WHITE H. C. Burtman & Co., of Buffalo, N. Y., for Circulars, describing the most wonderfully simple and effective Sewing Machine in the world.

See advertisement in another column. Jw15-6t.

HAIR RESTORATIVE.—We are pleased to be able to record the satisfaction of our patrons, after trial of an article advertised in our columns. We have the satisfaction to know several of our acquaintance have used Wood's Hair Restorative, and pronounced it to be just what the advertisement says it is. We have several personal acquaintances, too, who were gray-headed—they have tried it, and now their hair is restored to its original color, and they willingly add their testimony to its efficacy, and will give their recommendation to others desiring it, and will also bear witness to the artifice, and we advise all who do not wish to appear gray-headed, to use Wood's Hair Restorative.—[Western Patriot.

Sold by all good Druggists. fb15-3w3w

MARRIED.

On the 6th inst., at White Hall—the residence of Albert G. Sumner—Vincennes, Ind., by the Rev. A. H. Cheever, Dr. C. D. HALL, Novelty, Ills., to Miss MARIA A. TAN SLYKE, of Washington City, D. C.

In Ottawa, on the 11th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Whiting, CHARLES EVELGETH, Esq., of this city, to MARY E., youngest daughter of Dr. Sisson, of the former place.

DIED.

In this city, at the residence of his step-father—Joshua Reed—on the 12th inst., of consumption, JAMES E. YOST, aged 21 years.

In this city on Sunday morning, Feb. 14th, of disease of the heart, ROBERT MCCOY, aged 37 years.

The deceased has been for a long time an honorable and esteemed member of the typographical corps of this city, and for the past few months has been engaged as a compositor on the Daily TRIBUNE. By all his associates he was esteemed as a generous and upright man, and in the death his family lose a kind and affectionate husband and father.

COMMERCIAL.

CHICAGO WHOLESALE MARKET.

Chicago Daily Tribune Office, Saturday Evening, Feb. 13, 1858.

A severe snow storm set in early yesterday morning and continued for a great extent of time, and the indications are that it will be the cause of some hesitancy of Western and other Country Buyers in their demands for our produce. The probabilities are, however, that the blockade will not last very long, as the roads will be far advanced ere this date with the first "stage" of the track.

Regarded the prospects are cheery at the close of trade, and those who are meeting with a similar state of feeling in this trade.

RECEIPTS of yesterday, Feb. 12th, by rail, of principal articles were, 1,225 bbls flour, 16,000 lbs wheat, 3,000 bu corn, 4,200 bu oats, 38 bu rye, 4,000 lbs wool, 17,000 lbs lard, 9,000 lbs provisions, 24 casks, 1,294 dressed hogs, 50 pkgs beef.

FLOUR—Sale of 250 bbls at $5 for common to extra spring, and $5.25 for superfine. Yesterday 100 bbls fresh ground sold at $5.50, and 50 bbls Heller's, do. at $5.63.

WHEAT—Buy a few car loads of spring good, at one and 4 dollars per hundred pounds.—[$1.07 cash, generally from at $1c. Extra spring nominally $1c to sell; and inferior white $1c offer.

CORN—Sale of 2[illegible] in new at $1c delivered.

OATS—$1c in store or delivered.

RYE—Sale of 38 bu at $1c.

BARLEY—Sale of 2[illegible] bu at $1c.

FLOUR—Sales of 1,000 bbls at $5.50 for common, and $5.75 for superfine.

WHEAT—Sales of 2,000 bu at $1.07 cash, and $1.08 for spring good.

CORN—Sales of 2,000 bu new at 40c in store, and 41c delivered.

OATS—Sales of 1,000 bu at 21c in store.

BARLEY—Sales of 1,000 bu at 50c.

PORK—Sales of 200 bbls at $9.50.

LARD—Sales of 20 bbls at 6c.

BUTTER—Sales of 1,000 lbs at 12c.

CHEESE—Sales of 1,000 lbs at 6c.

BEEF—Sales of 200 bbls at $5 for mess, and $4 for prime.

BEEF HAMS—Sales of 100 bbls at $12.

PORK—Sales of 200 bbls at $19.50 for mess, and $16 for prime.

LARD—Sales of 20 bbls at 6c.

BACON—Sales of 20,000 lbs at 5c for shoulders, and 6c for hams.

WHISKEY—Sales of 100 bbls at 20c.

New York Stock Market—Feb. 12.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

Mo. 6s	[illegible]	Hudson R	[illegible]
Tennessee 6s	[illegible]	Erie R	[illegible]
N. City 6s	[illegible]	Reading R	[illegible]
N. Y. Central 7s	[illegible]	N. Y. & Erie R	[illegible]
Cumberland	[illegible]	Michigan S. & N. I. R	[illegible]
Virginia 6s	[illegible]	Illinois Central R	[illegible]
Erie R	[illegible]	Galena & Chicago R	[illegible]
N. Y. Central	[illegible]	Chicago & Rock Island	[illegible]
LaCrosse & Milwaukee	[illegible]	Pacific M S	[illegible]
Erie	[illegible]	Reading R	[illegible]
Mich Central	[illegible]	Cumberland	[illegible]
Mich Southern	[illegible]	Cleveland & Pitts	[illegible]
Cleve & Tol	[illegible]	Cleveland & Pitts	[illegible]

New York Money Market—Feb. 12.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

There is no feature to note in the money market. The Bank Statement is expected to show a falling off of [illegible] in specie, and a corresponding increase in loans, the balances having come too late to be included in the aggregate. The demand loan is again higher.

California Markets.

San Francisco mail to have New York, Feb. 13. [illegible] for broadcloths.

FLOUR—Sales of 1,000 bbls at [illegible] and wheat [illegible] in the freight.

PROVISIONS—Dull market; pork, which was in active demand, fell off a bit for sales, and $25 no sales.

Refined sugars were somewhat higher.

Exchange Quotations.

BANKING HOUSE OF E. K. WILLARD & FOREST, No. 74 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Feb. 12.

The following are the current quotations of this date:

Gold, selling at par	
New York Exchange	[illegible]
New York City	[illegible]
New York State	[illegible]
New England (except Rhode Island)	[illegible]
Rhode Island	[illegible]
New Jersey	[illegible]
Pennsylvania	[illegible]
Baltimore	[illegible]
Maryland	[illegible]
Virginia	[illegible]
North Carolina	[illegible]
South Carolina	[illegible]
Georgia	[illegible]
Alabama	[illegible]
Louisiana	[illegible]
Mississippi	[illegible]
Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana (issue)	[illegible]
Free Indiana	[illegible]
Tennessee	[illegible]
Canada	[illegible]
Illinois	[illegible]
Treasury Notes	[illegible]
Scrip of Wisconsin, Ill.	[illegible]
Illinois current pay is taken at the standard, as per value.	

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SECOND—Dealers in Agricultural Implements, Threshing Machines, Stoves, Planing Mills, Plows, Carts, Wagons, and other Farming implements.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

LATER FROM CALIFORNIA.

Arrival of the Steamer North Star.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13—The steamship North Star arrived this afternoon, brings 132 passengers, but no news.

The Star of the West reached her dock at 2 o'clock. She has 219 passengers and $1,348,507 in specie. She left at Asphwall the British ship Brunswick, U. S. sloop Jamestown, and the brig Roanoke, with coal to the Pacific Steamship Company.

The U. S. steamer Fulton sailed on the 31st for Old Providence via San Juan.

The California news is unimportant.

On the 8th, Gov. Johnson delivered his last message. He reports the total amount of taxable property of the State at $137,806,268—an increase of over $18,000,000 in the year; a total indebtedness of $3,000,000; an annual revenue of $1,152,000, and the annual expenses $590,000. On the 1st of January 1858, there were $357,000 in the treasury.

Gov. Weller's inaugural was delivered the same day. He will use the whole power of the State to put down any combination hostile to the destiny of the State Government, and where in good faith in other parts of our land; hints that the mining slaves should be freed; condemns paper money; calls for a Pacific Railroad, and remonstrates against the agitation of the Slavery question.

Both messages were favorably received by the press and the public.

The Legislature had taken no action of importance.

Resolutions had been offered praying Congress to guarantee the neutrality of the Nicaragua transit route, also praying Congress not to renew the mail contract with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

There was a slave case in Sacramento. A Mississippian applied for a legal authority to take a negro named Archy—who came in California with him—back to Mississippi. Commissioner Johnson dismissed the application, he having no jurisdiction, as Archy did not seem to be a fugitive to the State. The friends of the slave sued out a habeas corpus, but Judge Robinson of Sacramento county, postponed a decision till the 20th.

Resolutions approving of Senator Douglas' course had been presented in the Legislature, and excited some angry discussion, but no final action had been taken.

The miners of Calaveras county have commenced anew the crusade against the Chinese miners at Vallecito and Douglas Flat. They have been ordered to leave within ten days or forfeit their lives.

The banking firm of Williams & Co., at Orville, suspended payment on the 12th of Jan. Liabilities $50,000.

Volunteer companies were being organized all over California, to await the call of the President to march against the Mormons.

The story had been published that Col. Alexander had attempted to force Brigham Young, which the Mormons held, and was beaten back. It is simply humbug.

Arrival of the Empire City.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13.—The Empire City arrived at a late hour last night from Havana on the 9th inst. She left the Walbash in port to leave the same evening for New York.

Com. Paulding received a handsome entertainment from the authorities.

Sugars firm.

CALIFORNIA.

California news unimportant. The Legislature was in session, but had done nothing important. Market dull.

OREGON.

There is a rumor that the Snake Indians intend to join the Mormons.

SOUTH AMERICA.

Advices from Para bring an account of the arrest of Mr. L. Lomar, on a charge of conspiring to bring Americans to arms in Para, for the purpose of placing ex-President Marshal, a native Brazilian, in power.

Letters between Lomar, Commodore Vanderbilt and Col. Fitzgerald, of New Orleans, are published.

It is thought Lomar will be shot.

Affairs between Vivanco and the Government are about the same.

A destructive fire occurred at Valparaiso. Loss one million dollars.

Bolivia was quiet.

The American sloop Antoinette was found deserted in latitude 36 south.

The clipper Flying Cloud, from New York, arrived at San Francisco.

Later from New Mexico.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—The Santa Fe mail, with dates to the 16th ult., is received.

Business brisk.

The country was healthy.

The Legislature adjourned on the 8th of January.

A gold mine had been discovered in the vicinity of Fort Fillmore.

There were no palpable demonstrations of hostility on the part of the Utah Indians, but the Mormons had evidently been tampering with them.

The agents have been instructed to act towards them, and to use their utmost endeavors to prevent their alliance with the Mormons.

The Santa Fe *Gazette* advocates raising a regiment of mounted riflemen from that Territory, for the Utah war, stating that the march can be made from that point to Salt Lake in five days.

It also recommends that reinforcements be sent through New Mexico, describing the route as being much easier than the Northern, with abundance of provision, forage, destitute of cannons, and can be traveled quicker than via Fort Laramie.

New York City Rifters.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The anti-Lecompton meeting advertised to be held in the Academy of Music last evening, was not held, the lessees of the building persisting in their refusing of its use.

A large crowd gathered in front of the building and considerable indignation was manifested. Some of the party were threatening to break in the door. The majority, however, were peaceably inclined.

Mr. Stanton was called for and made a few remarks, stating that his voice would not allow him to address them in the open air, but when a hall could be procured, he would be happy to give them his sentiments.

A large number of persons and a band of music followed Mr. Stanton to the New York Hotel, where he was again called out and made a few remarks.

The steamer Star of the West will be up at 1:30, and the North star, from Southampton 7th, will reach her dock about 3 o'clock.

The Penitentiary Hospital on Blackwell's Island was totally destroyed by fire this morning. The 600 inmates were all rescued, though in the panic it was accomplished with difficulty. The loss is upwards of $30,000.

The steamer Edinburg sailed to-day for Glasgow with the United States mail, 136 passengers and $[illegible] in specie.

The public school house on the corner of Moore and Varick streets, was so badly injured by fire last night, as to necessitate its reconstruction. The upper stories were destroyed.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The Board appointed by the War Department to examine Sharpe's breech-loading rifle-pistols, of a similar construction to the breech-loading carbine, has made a report, the object being to ascertain how long they can be used without cleaning. After 26 shots with the 8-inch, and 13 with the 10-inch, the moveable or sliding breach became so foul as to work with difficulty, and to render further experiments impracticable. Ten shots were fired in the pistols.

The treasury statement for the week ending Monday, is: Receipts nearly $[illegible],000; amount deposited in New York, upwards of $[illegible],000; subject to draft, $4,439,000; the paid $[illegible],000. For the quarter, ending with December, the receipts of the treasury from all sources, $7,920,665; expenses $17,000,000.

Colonel Wade Hampton, of South Carolina, died suddenly on the 10th inst., at his plantation in Mississippi.

From New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 1.—The U. S. sloop of war Jamestown was at Asphwall.

The Susquehana goes to Old Providence with Mr. Fox, Consul at Aspinwall, to inquire into the alleged outrages upon American commerce there.

Gen. Lamar was on his way to Managua.

At last accounts from South America the Legislature at Monteviedo had been dispersed by the military.

War between Brazil and Paraguay was regarded as inevitable.

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CITY OF CHICAGO.

Monday Morning.....Feb. 15, 1858.

Every Man at his Post.

It is not alone necessary that the Republicans of Chicago should elect their candidates in this municipal contest by the usual party majority; but that we should, by a party triumph that will utterly overwhelm our enemies, give the other parts of the State and the West assurance that the most populous Republican city of the Unionis true to her faith! We want not only to secure for the next year an honest and intelligent administration of our municipal affairs; but at this time, when every political contest will be looked upon abroad as an endorsement or reprobation of the policy of the Administration and the Democratic party, it is necessary that Chicago should speak as one man so emphatically that her wishes cannot be misrepresented. Let us send to the plotters at Washington and the Disunionists and Secessionists further South, the news that Republicanism in the North-West is an increasing power; that it is not awed or abashed by their frowns, and that it does not crouch beneath the crack of their lash. It is necessary that we assure our co-laborers in Illinois that the demonstrations of Douglas are here appreciated and understood; and that the boasts of his friends, throughout the State, that this contest will show that he has regained the place which he forfeited by his crimes, are empty gasconade. Republicans everywhere in Illinois are looking in this direction; are anxiously hoping for our triumphant success. Let us not disappoint them and disgrace our cause and ourselves. We have the sinews of victory in our hands. We have a fair and honest majority of the legal votes. We have a ticket unexceptionable from top to bottom. We have a cause that should command our warmest efforts. To work, then, *every man!* "Defeat the tax-eaters!" is not, but "Annihilation of the tax-eaters!" is, the watch word!

The Foundry of Lies.

Col. BENTON called the St. Louis *Republican* "a foundry of lies." The correspondents of that sheet are the "blowers," for its furnace, from whence the stream of smoking lies continually flow. The Washington correspondent of that paper outdoes even H. CLAY PATE, of Kansas notoriety for cool, unblushing misstatement of facts. As a specimen of his powers, we copy his version of the encounter between KERRY and GROW:

The Speaker then remarked that he heard no objection and Mr. Quitman could proceed to make known his proposition. About this time Mr. Grow (Black Republican), of Pennsylvania, who had crossed over to the Democratic side of the House, and was standing among the Southern members, cried out "I object." Mr. Keitt, of South Carolina, who was sitting near the spot where Mr. Grow was standing, remarked, "Go on your own side of the House and object, sir." Mr. Grow rejoined that the House was free, and he would object where he pleased. Mr. Keitt made some reply in like, when Mr. Grow again responded that he could not use on that floor the lash of the nigger-driver—at the same time striking hold of Mr. Keitt. The latter immediately struck a blow, and, grappling, each seemed falling; but recovering himself, endeavored to follow up the fight, when he was carried off by some of his friends.

According to this witness, Grow picked a quarrel with Kerry, used all the saucy language and then "seized hold" of the forbearing saint from South Carolina, who in pure *self defense*, "struck a blow" and "stumbled, came near falling," "recovered," and "endeavored to follow up the fight," but was "bodily carried off by his friends!!!"

This grossly false narration of facts is as near the truth as the St. Louis *Republican* or its correspondents ever approach.

The Five Western Turncoats.

BRAGANNER's motion to refer the Lecompton Constitution to the packed Committee on Territories, was the real test vote. It was the Administration motion, and was defeated by *one majority!* On that question, there was not one absentee from the six Northwestern States—every Member answered to his name with this result: For reference to a packed Committee, 5; Against reference, 48.

Indiana furnished three of the traitors, and Ohio two. No member from the other four North Western States went with the negro-traitors. These five renegades will have a malefactor's welcoming with their betrayed constituents next October. They will receive leave of absence from public employment during the remainder of their useless lives. The names of these five traitors are—

FROM OHIO.	FROM INDIANA.
Bliss.	Wright.
Miller.	Niblack.
	Pettit.

Henceforth their names will be synonymous with infamy.

A Curious Poisoning Case.

There is a very curious poisoning case before the Police Court of Philadelphia. Robert P. Kirkpatrick is charged with conspiracy and an attempt to poison, not only his brother, Edwin Kirkpatrick, but his entire family. It is charged that some months ago Robert P. Kirkpatrick deliberately matured a plan to murder his brother, and in order to avert suspicion from himself, so managed matters, by means of anonymous letters and daguerreotypes, as to convey the idea that he was poisoned by a female avenger of her own wrongs, and had by her been poisoned. In such a case, upon the decease of their father, Robert would become heir to a large share of the entire estate, amounting to a considerable sum. The evidence pretty fully establishes the fact that the menacing epistle which accompanied the daguerreotype of the young woman, sent to Mrs. Edwin Kirkpatrick, was partly, if not entirely, written by Robert, while the latter had been frequently heard to utter threats against his brother. The case has produced an immense excitement in Philadelphia, and the court room is thronged with spectators, both male and female.

Personal.

Mr. HARRIS, who has just retired from the Cleveland *Herald*, which he had edited for some twenty years, is about to occupy the same position on the *Newark Leader*, of that city.

WILLIAM H. PRESCOTT, the eminent historian, experienced a paralytic shock on Thursday night last, but the most alarming symptoms had yielded to medical treatment, and he is now fast recovering.

The New York *Evening Post* says that the poem entitled "The Busts of Goethe and Schiller," in the February number of the *Atlantic Monthly*, is from the pen of WILLIAM ALLEN BUTLER, the author of "Nothing to Wear."

The N. Y. *Independent* says that Rev. Dr. BUSHNELL, (Calvinist) of Brooklyn, has introduced Professor HUNTINGTON (Unitarian) into his pulpit, and that he preached for him some weeks ago. A recent exchange has also taken place between Dr. BUSHNELL (Calvinist) of Hartford, and Dr. HUNTINGTON, of Cambridge; and last summer, the fact that Dr. HUNTINGTON Amherst, occupied the pulpit of Rev. Mr. Dwight, in Boston published.

THE OHIO CONTESTED DISTRICT.—Mr. INGHAM, the claimant of Lew. CAMPBELL's seat, published a card in the Washington *Globe*, denying the truth of an assertion made by Mr. GILMER that he once voted in the Ohio Legislature to allow free negroes to testify against white men; and in order to secure the vote of the Administration party in his favor, he states that he made five motions and is on record thirteen times as voting against a bill which would allow negroes to vote. Mr. V., having thus established the fact that he is all right on the "Goose," will doubtless get the coveted seat.

☞ A Washington letter writer closes his epistle in this way: "I have not noticed the gambling hells, least it should be said that I am attacking the privileges of the Representatives of the people."

RATHER OLD.—A lawyer named PRICE has sued WEED, of the Albany *Evening Journal*, for a libel published eleven years ago. PRICE has just begun to get mad about it.

IOWA LEGISLATURE.

FRAUD AND CORRUPTION.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

DES MOINES, IOWA, Feb. 7, 1858.

THE morning a petition from citizens of Polk county, charging fraud and corruption on the Commissioners appointed by the Governor of Iowa to relocate the Capitol, under an Act of the Legislature of 1855, was presented in the House, and on motion, a committee of five was appointed, with instructions to enter into a full and complete investigation of all matters connected therewith, with power to send for persons and papers. The resolution was adopted, by yeas 42, nays 3. The committee to whom was referred the impeachment of Judge Claggett, of the first Judicial District, reported that there was no ground for impeachment. F.

Who are Devices in Finance?

For the Chicago Tribune.]

As one of the business men of our city, having a deep interest in its welfare in every way, I would like the attention of that class of our citizens particularly directed to the course of your cotemporary, the *Democratic Press*, in reference to our currency. If that paper would put the views of WILL. CUT ISRIBBERS under the head of "*Public Nuisances*," instead of endorsing them as orthodox and sound by christening the same "*Commercial*" in its columns, thus fathering them, it would indicate that there was some truth in their oft repeated assertion of "laborers abundant," and "watchings of," in the laudable object of building up the name and fame of our young and growing city. The "Commercial" of the *Press* on the 10th and 12th, aims Ajax blows ostensibly against individual interests, which nevertheless are as wide spread as civilization itself, but the abundant remarks of all who waited time to reading these articles, is a pretty sure index of the effect. That paper, in all business circles, will feel the rebound of its silly blows. A few such articles as these will do our cause more good than anything we can say. They are only a certain opposition of the best arguments that can be brought forward in support of Wild Cat Currency in the halls of our commercial transactions, and we bid them God speed in the work of self-destruction.

This benevolent foreign currency oracle says all cities must have a foreign currency, as well as home. This proposition carries a lie upon the face of it. Does not New York manage to use her own currency exclusively? Let either of those Georgia men try to lay a dinner with their paper in passing through that State, and they will have practical proof of the efficiency of their promises to pay in satisfying the wants of nature.

Now, there are always a set of brokers who buy foreign bills, the same as a fur dealer would coon skins; but they are bought to send home, not to put in circulation, for they cannot do that. Banks and business men do not lend their aid and influence in that direction, as they have done here. This circle says IF the bills of the Illinois banks were to be redeemed at half per cent, do not Georgia currency come into the same arrangement in that circular which modestly requested country banks to redeem with exchange on New York, because they could pay balances against them in Georgia currency? How would that system work practically? Merchants in this programme have a premium offered them to help kill off country notes with a second circulation, to give place for Georgia. Merchants all want exchange, and if country banks had redeemed here with exchange on New York, it would probably have taken them about two weeks to have gathered up the whole of it, and then they would have been a fine field for Wild Cats again. What a villainous set the Yankees has done in selling itself to combat such principles. We would resolve the *Press*, and its circle, that the laying process is always from the path of duty in one of wrong and oppression. An honest man never appreciates a rascal to keep him over to right principles; but history furnishes numerous examples where repulsed honest men have been purchased by rascality to serve its ends.

It is not necessary to state that the *Press* comes within this category; the two articles referred to are stronger proof than anything we could address.

"Time and history great their monuments," and you, [illegible] need not fear the result. Your course on [illegible] question, from its inception, will, are long, [illegible] of the proudest monuments of newspaper [illegible] in the West.

BOOTS & SHOES.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Dispatch to the N. Y. Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11, 1858.

There is an intense feeling of disembarrassment in the House with the action of the Kansas Committee. Mr. Speaker Orr has violated all parliamentary usage. He defends himself by asserting that the President's Message is the point at issue, and that therefore the Administration is entitled to a majority on the Committee. The Anti Lecompton members at first resolved not to serve; but subsequently concluded to await the development of the intentions and disposition of the majority of the Committee. The Anti-Lecompton names I sent you last night were those proposed to the Speaker, by the majority of the House. He would not take one of them.

The Army bill, as it will pass the Senate by the votes of Mr. Seward and Mr. Cameron, cast in opposition to the rest of the Republicans, will increase the Army seven thousand men, the annual expenditure seven millions of dollars, and will give the President the appointment of more than ninety officers. The Senate was nearly full when the vote was taken, though only fifty-one votes are recorded. There were five or six pairs.

[Correspondence of the N. Y. Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, February 10, 1858.

The plan of the President and of the Administration leaders in Congress is to pass Lecompton through the Senate, send it to the House and put it, under the previous question, through before the Lecompton Democrats can report. This scheme will be resisted to the utmost by the Republicans and Anti Lecompton Democrats. The faction of the Lecompton Democrats, developed on Friday night, will be turned against themselves, and unless the rules of the House shall be violated, it is physically impossible that the thing can pass. A hundred members determined to resist to the last can prevent its passage by dividing themselves into sections of fifty each, and calling the yeas and nays interminably.

The form in which Lecompton will be passed is likely to involve the question of a pretended compromise in the shape of a clause declaratory of the right of the people of Kansas to amend or change their Constitution at any time. The only parallel that I can think of to this pretended compromise would be a proposition to an honest man to marry a prostitute whose advances he had already rejected with scorn and loathing, and to give as a reason for insisting on the marriage, and to silence his scruples and those of his friends and relatives, the assurance that after the marriage he could easily obtain a divorce.

The infatuation of the President is almost incredible. He still asserts in the most positive manner that the passage of the Lecompton Constitution through Congress would settle the whole matter in thirty days, and would put a final end to Slavery agitation.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8, 1858.

It is now pretty well ascertained that the Free State majority in the Legislature of Kansas will be officially declared. After Calhoun arrived here it was announced, on the authority of his statements, that the vote of Delaware Crossing exceeded 300, by which the representation of Leavenworth was secured, and through it the Legislature. The original returns from the Judges are now filed in the proper office at Lecompton, but a certificate is alleged to have been sent to Calhoun, in which the vote was falsified, so as to authorize the impression he conveyed. At least this is our explanation now. Yesterday dispatches were received at the Interior Department from Gov. Denver, containing the affidavits of the three Judges who officiated at the election in the contested precinct, affirming that only 43 votes were cast. Secretary Thompson at once sent for Calhoun and submitted this evidence to his inspection, which of course admitted of no possible contradiction, and was utterly irreconcilable with the position he had previously assumed. The facts were developed to several leading Southern men, and among them Mr. Jefferson Davis, who, it is only just to say, refused to countenance any suggestion by which the result might be sought to be affected. Under these circumstances Cat. or affected. Under these circumstances Cat. will issue the certificate without further delay.

The returns for State officers are also at Lecompton and will be submitted to the Legislature whenever the State is admitted, to be canvassed by that body. With the exclusive power of review there, and the ability to correct frauds, no reasonable doubt can be entertained, but that the Free State men will be installed in the offices to which they were fairly elected by the people. Northern Democrats, who are now tightly pinched at home, will endeavor to find a justification for their support of the Lecompton contrivance in these extorted rights, which neither they nor the Administration have helped to obtain. But the eyes of constituency are at last opened, and such deceptions can no longer be practiced with impunity.

Calhoun's welcome here has not been so cordial as so faithful a servant was entitled to get. He called at the White House yesterday, but was not admitted to an audience, and received no explanation for the exclusion. He had the honor of a long interview with Mr. Douglas on Saturday night, which probably compensated for the failure in the other direction.

Arrival of the City of Baltimore.

INTERESTING FROM EUROPE.

Further Particulars of the Attempted Assassination of Louis Napoleon.

The screw-steamship *City of Baltimore* arrived at New York from Liverpool at about 9½ A. M., on the 27th day of January, arrived at this port yesterday morning.

Nothing further of importance had been developed in regard to the recent attempt to assassinate the Emperor.

A number of Police agents had been dispatched to London to make inquiries relative to the assassins.

M. Mason Thibault, a political prisoner of 1855, and a man of extreme Republican principles, had published a letter in which he shadows forth the party which disgraces itself, and rejects the flag which is so shamefully soiled with blood.

The Paris correspondent of the London *Times* gives the following synopsis of the report of the surgeons who dressed the wounds of the victims:

"The wounds in general are small and not deep,—some are only skin-deep, while others descend into the muscles. In general these wounds have but one orifice, which is jagged. The fragments of the shell by which the wounds were inflicted are angular, with indented edges and small; some are not larger than a pea, others resemble a broken nail or a grain of shot flattened. One remarkable circumstance is the number of wounds received by the same person. Surgeon Larrey counted twenty-seven on the body of one soldier, and twenty on that of a young man who was an innocent spectator in the crowd. The wounds at first caused but little pain—so little that several persons seriously wounded were not aware of the fact. A lady arrived from the provinces, who was dangerously wounded in the face, the arm and the breast, thought at first that the explosion was caused by a firework let off in honor of the Emperor. After some days the wounds became extremely irritable, more so than might be expected from their small size. Some persons who were near the projectiles when they exploded had their bones broken and the interior of their stomachs torn open. One person, who died in the hospital Lariboisiere, preserved a large fragment of a shell in the abdomen. Fortunately such cases are but few. A great number of persons were wounded, not by the projectiles, but by splinters of wood or glass driven with great force against them by the concussion."

In consequence of the numerous commissioners appointed to take evidence in France and in foreign countries, the trial of the conspirators has been postponed until the end of February. The Paris correspondent of the London *Times* says:

"Unheard-of efforts are being made by the Government to find out a complicity between the assassins of the 14th and Victor Hugo and M. Charras; but, as yet, no proof is forthcoming, unless some may be found in the papers seized on your side of the water. Madame Hugo is here now, with one of her sons. They arrived two days since. Young Hugo is resolved to take the oath at once, and present himself to the electors of the 3d arrondissement, in the place of Gen. Cavaignac. This would be a serious event, and, if the Government can prevent it, of course it will."

It is reported, on good authority, that the Emperor is firmly resolved to resist the advice of those who advocate any further restriction of the press. One rumor concerning the new repressive measure is, that the journals will be furnished with a list of certain subjects about which they must not write at all, and that a law will be asked for empowering the Government to imprison any person whatever for a year, without bringing him to trial. This, however, is improbable.

In regard to the obnoxious Belgian journals which approved of the attempted assassination, the *Moniteur* has the following announcement:

"On the day before yesterday, the Belgian Government presented a Police Bill concerning foreigners in the Chamber of Representatives. Yesterday it laid before the Chamber a Bill of Code for the modification of the penal code; the Government proposes to extract from this bill the articles relating to crimes and offenses against international law, so as to form a special law therefrom. This special law is to be voted as 'urgent.' The Belgian Government intends prosecuting the newspapers *Le Drapeau* and *Le Grondeur*."

The London *Observer* gives the following result of the operations of the Leviathan:

"She now is within a few feet of the very extremity of the ways, and at the ensuing spring tides she will have amply sufficient water under her to be fairly floated. Indeed, on Wednesday, when there was a very good heap tide, she showed very lively symptoms of freeing herself from bondage, as it anxious to bound into her native element, and was only to lift at her stem and stern. As a matter of precaution to check her buoyancy, 1,500 tons of water was put into her compartments to keep her down."

It is stated that the Piedmontese Government had resolved, in conformity with the opinion pronounced by the Committee on Diplomatic Relations, to demand the restoration of the steamer Cagliari, and that a note to that effect had been presented to the Neapolitan Minister by the Sardinian Charge d'Affaires. The consequences of such an act would, it was supposed, be a cessation of diplomatic relations between Piedmont and Naples.

Some sharp shocks of earthquake were experienced in the western part of the Carpathians, on the 12th and 16th of January. No harm was sustained beyond considerable damage to buildings.

The following appears in the London *Advertiser*, dated Rome, Jan. 23: "The police have been exceedingly sharp since the news of the attempt of the 14th in Paris. They have, or pretend to have, seized a number of letters, indicating that a political movement was projecting, to take place on the 15th January, and that the conspirators only waited the signal of insurrection. A number of persons have been arrested at Ascoli. They confess to having committed fifty political assassinations since the year 1850.

The London *Post* says: "We feel as certain as belief can make us, that the Government will resist and will propose on the opening of Parliament, a measure for the punishment of political assassins.

The *Times* points out that murder is a crime to the moral sense of all mankind; not so the attempt to change a form of Government—so while we need not make it equally a crime to plot a revolution at home or in some foreign country—there is much to be said for making it criminal to compass murder, whoever and wherever the intended victim.

☞ AN ADVENTURE.—A gentleman connected with this office had a strange adventure yesterday afternoon. While sitting at his desk, he was informed that a gentleman named O'Donald was a very anxious to see him on the sidewalk. Of course he hurried down stairs to hear what O'Donald had to say. As soon as he reached the sidewalk, he saw a large horsewhip in O'Donald's right hand. Being somewhat opposed to the idea of standing at the wrong end of anybody's horsewhip, the gentleman was on the point of beating a retreat, but before he could say John Robinson, his retreat was cut off by one of O'Donald's friends, who exclaimed, "Here he is, just where we want him!" The gentleman was very much astonished at his reception, and his astonishment increased when he saw O'Donald raise his whip in a threatening attitude. He would have made a requisition upon his legs, if he had not been perfectly satisfied that O'Donald would overtake him; so he concluded to stand his ground and make as good a fight as he could; for, though he had no particular objection to being lashed, so far as he was individually concerned, yet he felt bound to do something for the credit of the office with which he is connected. Besides, he had another motive for showing fight—one of the rules of this office being as follows: "When any person connected with the Tribune office is attacked in the street or on the cars, the office is attacked, give a good account of himself." The gentleman, knowing that any neglect or disobedience of the rule above quoted would be the signal for his immediate discharge from the *Pontagraph Corps*, decided to take a chance in the fight, notwithstanding the disadvantage under which he labored. When O'Donald saw that the gentleman had not a single weapon about him, not even a pocket knife, he raised his heavy whip, swung it around his head two or three times, and finally brought the lash down with tremendous force upon—a big dog that was trying to pull his buffalo robe out of his sleigh. After driving the dog away, O'Donald said to the gentleman, "Come and take a sleigh ride." The gentleman stepped into the sleigh—the "sorrel hob-tails" pranced off in good style, and passed everything else on the road—the ride put us in mind of times and scenes long gone by; and when we returned to the office, *our eyes were red a great deal more from the blood in it!* How it stings!—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

☞ PRACTICAL FREE TRADE IN NIGGERS.—Mr. St. Paul, probably not a descendent of the great apostle, has introduced in the Legislature of Louisiana a bill to authorize the Governor of the State to contract for the importation of five thousand free blacks from the coast of Africa.

☞ WELL EXPLAINED.—God made Washington childless, that a nation might call him father. Can any one explain why God made Buchanan childless?—*Mobile Mercury.*

That we might not look upon his like again.

☞ It is said that GEORGE LODGE, the musical composer, is to marry Mrs. CATHERINE SINCLAIR FOSTER, the divorced wife of BIRWIN FOSTER, the tragedian.

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ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, AT 10 o'clock A. M., I shall offer at auction, on the premises, the Wool Market, Clark Street, in the Revolving Dome, 100 feet in diameter, 65 feet high, and to be removed immediately after that date. SAMUEL D. WARD, Commissioner.

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Chicago Water Works.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Board of Water Commissioners, in the City of Chicago, till noon of the 25th day of March next, for constructing two Reservoirs, viz: One in the south Division of the city, at the corners of Sixty-first street and Stony Island avenue, and one in the West Division, at the corner of Rosalie and Morgan streets.

The Reservoir in the south Division is to be of the same dimensions as the one already constructed in the north Division.

The Reservoir in the West Division is to be of stone rough dressed, the inside walls and floors of hard-burned brick, and the inverted arches in the bottom of cut-stone work. The roofs to be made of hard pine, with the necessary accessories of ventilation.

Plans and specimens of the tank and roof, are essentially the same as in the Reservoir of the south Division.

The masonry work including the erection of the roof, the roofing of the tank, the plastering, and the finishing of the Reservoir, is to be completed on the south Division by the first day of June, and on the West Division by the first day of November, 1858.

Proposals will be received for the entire work, or for the masonry, roofing and finishing of the south Division, or for the masonry, roofing and finishing of the West Division.

Proposals must be accompanied by a written guarantee from two responsible citizens, that the bidder, if his proposal be accepted, will, on the execution of the contract, if required, give bonds with sureties in the penal sum of two thousand dollars for the south Division, and two thousand dollars for the West Division, for the faithful performance of the contract.

The written consent of two responsible citizens of the city of Chicago, that they will be sureties for the bidder, if he be the successful bidder, must be filed with each proposal.

Contractors will be required to furnish their personal sureties for the work.

The terms of payment will be made known on application at the Water Commissioners' office.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject the bids for the tank and roof, the prices for which will be furnished separately from those for the masonry.

Proposals must be for building the Reservoirs complete, or may include only the masonry, iron work, carpentry, &c., separately, as the bidder may prefer.

By order of the Board.

feb13-tsth14-2w A. W. TINKHAM, Secretary.

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Which I will dispose of for LABOR; or I will receive ONE-FOURTH of the purchase money in the annual installments, the balance in nine annual installments. The lots are 25 feet in front by 100 feet in depth, on the side of the road, and are of two feet and backing about 60 feet wide. Title perfect; no cash paid will be allowed. I will be on the ground on the 15th of October, and thereafter, for a period, daily, at my Office, on the South side of the Illinois Central Railroad Company's Coaling Station, on the Lake Shore, where I will be ready to receive the proposals of any laborers who may desire to avail themselves of the above offer. Any person desiring to see the property can do so by calling on the undersigned, at his office, in the City of Chicago, or on the premises, at any time. For further particulars, address
W. L. SAMPSON,
Sept 19 Upon the Company's ground.

Molasses.
500 BBLS NEW PLANTATION MOLASSES, just received and for sale by
HINSDALE & BABCOCK,
Sept 19 114 & 116 S. Water st., East of Dearborn.

Coffee.
500 BAGS RIO COFFEE IN STORE. For sale low by
HINSDALE & BABCOCK,
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New Fruit.
3000 BXS LONDON LAYER AND M. RAISINS.
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Raising Business Blocks.
THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD ANNOUNCE to his friends and the public that he is prepared to make contracts for
RAISING BUSINESS BLOCKS TO GRADE,
Or any other business pertaining to the building or raising of buildings, in Chicago or elsewhere, on any sum, to any distance, on the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms, by addressing me at my residence, or at my office, on Lake street, near Clark, enables him to refer with confidence to the many citizens, for all improvements in the city, since the fire of 1857.
J. E. DEVEREUX.

Special Notices.

☞ There is an article selling throughout the country that has attained the united celebrity over known to a remedy for LIVER COMPLAINT. We have reference to Dr. Sanford's Invigorator or Liver Remedy; that has performed such almost too great to believe, were it not for the undoubted evidence that accompanies the testimonials, 18 in truth, the greatest remedy known for Dyspepsia, Jaundice, or a general debility that mortals suffer the skill of our most eminent physicians.

Dr. Sanford has been for a long time one of the eminent physicians of New York, and it is under regard of his cases were treated with the Invigorator with such wonderful effects that he has been induced to offer it as a family medicine, and let the world have the benefit of his discovery. Persons who are troubled with debility, head-ache, languor, or slow, lingering fever, will try a bottle, we think they might save physicians' bills, and days, perhaps years of suffering. (See advertisement.) 8d-4t

☞ Hostetter's Stomach Bitters correct the appetite, impart a tone to the system, force [illegible] and all impure secretions, regulate the bowels, give a healthy color and vigor of mind. For Dyspepsia and dyspeptic symptoms, they are the wonder of the afflicted. In all cases of flatulency, dizziness, prostration, lassitude and general inability, it is surprising how soon the patient finds relief. No family can afford to be without Hostetter's Bitters. They require no spirits, sold in full quart bottles by Druggists and dealers generally.
2d-4t&wtw

$1,000 REWARD.—Having purchased of Dr. Tilton (son-in-law of Dr. James) the only recipe which Dr. James used in preparing the Fever of Canadian Tonic, for the cure of Consumption, Asthma, Colds, Coughs and General Debility, and having greatly improved the manner of incorporating with it other potent vegetable agents, especially such as will furnish a more speedy relief and cure in all those difficulties, as well as in cases of Bronchial affections, I now offer the above reward to any one who will show me a case that cannot be cured by the preparation now made at No. 141 State street, Chicago, in a more speedy and permanent manner than by the old mixture. I keep both on hand. DR. G. S. GILBERT,
141 State street, Chicago.

N.B.—Dr. James is fully satisfied that such is the case, and hence is in that he is making such a limit in the papers; but all can satisfy themselves by trying only one bottle, and if it is not what is represented to be, the money will be returned; and if that is not sufficient to show all that I am making a better article, I will, when desired, send with each bottle free of charge Dr. James' own recipe, with directions as used by himself. DR. GILBERT.
Sept 19 3m

TO CURE A COLD—A RECIPE THAT RARELY EVER FAILS.—Now, while winter, with its hurricanes of Colds and Coughs, is with us, we think a remedy that will relieve such visitations should be highly prized, and all who know the strength of this remedy will do us the important kindness to tell it to their friends. Take a double dose of Dr. Sanford's Invigorator, and it will give greater relief than any other medicine we ever tried, for we have rarely to repeat the dose to be entirely free from cough, and as soon as the lungs have time to recover from the inflammatory matter, the cure is complete. As a family medicine, for the cure of Bowel Diseases, Dyspepsia, Derangements of the Stomach and Liver, we can recommend it knowingly. (See advertisement.)

ARTIFICIAL LIMBS.—D. COWLES & CO., Proprietors and Manufacturers of Wilson's Patent Artificial Leg—the best and most perfect Leg ever invented. The first premium received and diploma awarded by the Cook County Agricultural Society, held at Chicago, Oct. 9th, 1857. Patent granted Sept. 25th, 1856. Manufactory, 104 Lake street, corner of Wells, South No. 13, Merchants Exchange, P. O. Box 3026. 4m-Sept 19

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES!—DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS. Prepared by Dr. Geneslus L. Cheeseman, M.D., New York City. The combinations of ingredients in these Pills are the result of a long and extensive practice. They are mild in their operation, and certain in correcting all irregularities, Painful Menstruation, Amenorrhœa, Obstructions, whether from cold or otherwise, headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, disturbed sleep which arise from interruption of nature.

TO MARRIED LADIES they are invaluable, as they will bring on the monthly period with regularity.

NOTICE.—They should not be used during Pregnancy, as a miscarriage would certainly result therefrom.

Each package, containing fifty Pills, with anything injurious to life or health. English directions, which should be read, accompany each box. Price $1. Sent by mail to anything $1 in the United States.
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HOLLES, SMITH & CO.,
FARNSTOCK & DAVIS, 100 Randolph st.,
Wholesale Agents for Chicago.

DOCTOR THOMSON'S Grand Anatomical, Pathological, Surgical and Microscopic Museum, is open for office, on the same floor, at 220 Lake street, Chicago, Ill. These models are from Mons. Tabarie's Grand Anatomical Museum, in Paris, and have been obtained at great cost. Ladies admitted exclusively on Wednesdays only, from 12 M. to 2 P.M. In the evening, gentlemen at usual admittance, 25 cents. Dr. Thomson's patients admitted free of charge. Boys and children never admitted.
D. 1857.

PROFESSOR HASKELL'S ELECTRIC OIL.—A supply of this wonderful and celebrated remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Rheumatism, Deafness, Neuralgia, Scrofula, Humors and Sores, relieving all pains in from three to twenty minutes. For Chronic Sore Joints, it has positively no rival. Testimonials of its efficacy in all emergencies never any fail, are before the public. The real remedy for the enduring and untiring Human Frame. A Robinson, Wholesale Druggist, 39 Water street, Chicago, are the agents here. For sale at retail by all Druggists. The genuine article, then get and prize and be relieved.
Sept 19 4d&4w

LEA & PERRINS' WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.—The attention of Hotel Keepers, Proprietors of Eating Houses, Caterers for Clubs, Messrooms, and Private Families is commended to a trial of Lea & Perrins' famous Worcestershire Sauce. The flavoring by its own merits has acquired the highest medical approbation, public and wholesale dealers, applicable to steak, fish, game, soup, gravy, &c., &c., is extensively used in all quarters of the globe.

The numerous "imitations" on both sides of the Atlantic speak lastly of its merits; and the fact that it received the only Medal awarded to foreign Sauces at the New York Exhibition affords the distinction in which it is held by those selected with special reference to their ability to judge of the quality of similar articles of table use. And being the most popular Sauce in the market, unprincipled parties are offering for sale spurious Sauces by slightly varying the spelling of "Lea & Perrins," only proprietors of the genuine and Sauce.

A stock always in store. Also orders received for direct shipment from England.
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BRYANT & SARATOGA'S MERCANTILE COLLEGE.—This is one of the best institutions in the country, and the very best place for young men to spend their winter evenings. P. R. Spencer's Writing Classes are now in progress. Students can enter at any time, day or evening. Ladies' Class from 2 to 4 P.M. See advertisement in another column. Rooms, 63 Clark street, opposite Chicago. [Sept 19] m-d

Educational.

NORTH-WESTERN FEMALE COLLEGE,
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THE COURSE OF STUDY IN THIS Institution conducts to the highest degrees conferred by any Female College in the Union, viz: Laureate of Arts and Laureate of Literature.
For information, apply to
Sept 19-4d W. F. JOHNS, A. M., President.

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Brown & Bond & Co., H Boardman, Esq.
Messrs Barker, Hyde & Smith, E Rosekrans, Jr.
Sept 19-3m

RE-OPENING OF
Mirasole's Dancing Academy.
S. G. MIRASOLE, IN RETURNING thanks to his friends and patrons, begs leave to inform them that he has opened his Dancing Academy, at the old location, No. 148 Clark, Rd. 148 Randolph street.

Mr. Mirasole takes pleasure in referring to all his former pupils for the uniform satisfaction which he has given during a four years residence in this city.

Private Lessons will be given at the residence of the pupils when desired.

Juvenile Classes will be attended by Madame Mirasole. Every Thursday evening there will be a social Soirée, to which ladies and gentlemen are invited.

Piano and String Music furnished for Parties.

☞ For terms, &c., apply at the Academy, from 10 to 1, and 7 to 10 o'clock.
Chicago, Oct. 1, 1857.—m&tw-d

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[From the National Era—Washington.]

We so far depart from our rule, relative to the use of Dr. Brown's Bronchial Troches, that we have procured them tried, and find them excellent for Coughs, Incipient Consumption, &c.

[From Gore's Herald—Boston.]

Having found Brown's Bronchial Troches beneficial in a disturbed state of the throat, we do our fellow-sufferers a real favor in calling their attention to them.

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Sept 19-3m

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RUBBER GOODS OF ALL KINDS, INCLUDING Horse Covers, Fire Buckets, Gums, Belting, Hose, Boots and Shoes, wholesale and retail, at manufactory prices, by
JNO. R. DIBOS & CO.,
Sept 17-1y 87 South Water st., cor. Dearborn.

DAILY TRIBUNE.

MONDAY MORNING.....FEBRUARY 23.

CHINA.

The Preparations against Canton—Progress of the Rebels.

HONG KONG, November 28, 1857.

It is perhaps fortunate that the decisive attack upon Canton has been delayed until the accredited representatives of all the chief powers interested are present, and each satisfied by some show of naval force.

The Hon. Mr. Reed arrived on the 5th inst., and the Russian Ambassador, the Count Putiatine, shortly after. The latter has succeeded no better than his brother Ambassador, he not having been allowed access to the Imperial city. We hear that ere long he is also to be backed by a powerful fleet. The second detachment of the gun-boat flotilla from England has safely arrived—with the exception of two boats which put into Singapore. The whole fleet of them (called the Mosquito fleet) numbers about thirty. In all there cannot be less than 60 or 70 vessels of all kinds—most of them steamers.

The Imperador arrived about three weeks since, bringing 550 marines; the Imperatriz came in a week after, with 500 more. Sundry troop ships have also made their appearance, and to-day the Princess Charlotte, three-decker, brings 800 additional marines. On the 20th and 21st, the main body of the English fleet moved up the river toward Canton, taking a large landing force of marines and artillery. There are now about 7,000 men who can be landed without detriment to the efficiency of the fleet.

A proclamation has been printed in Chinese characters, the contents of which is not public, but from one conversant with the matter, I learn that its intent is to warn well-disposed Chinese to leave the city within a certain time, and take their property with them so far as it can be done.

Whatever may be said of the war, it must be admitted that Admiral Seymour has, in all its history, shown himself as merciful as prompt, and it is to be hoped that this proclamation will afford the means of escape to many, and cause the devastation to fall upon those who deserve it.

From an officer of the fleet, I learn that in the course of two days the gun-boat flotilla will take position stationing the water front of the city, at a distance of five hundred or six hundred yards each from the other. Then the evacuation will be freely circulated within the city, and the prescribed time be allowed to elapse.

If no proposals for a peaceable surrender are received in the meantime, there will open upon the devoted city such a storm of rockets, shot and shell as never entered the heart of Chinaman to conceive. Each of the gunboats carries one ten-inch shell-gun aft, and one thirty-two pounder forward; and as the crews are all picked men and well trained at the guns, their fire is both rapid and effective. Most of the larger steamers also will take up position within shell range, and will take part in the bombardment.

That the French forces will co-operate with the English, is a generally understood fact; but is equally understood that this co-operation will not extend to a combined attack upon the city. Half the moral effect of the capture would be destroyed by such joint attack. It has been the boast of the Chinese ever since the unknown of the city at the close of the last war, "Englishmen no can catchee Canton." Hence the necessity that Englishmen alone should take Canton without the aid of any other power. The French fleet, therefore, will probably take up position at or near Whampoa, near enough to the scene of action to show their approbation, but not participating in the attack.

Major-General Ashburnham, the Commander-in-Chief of the land forces in China, has gone home to Calcutta; the object being to give the whole charge of the campaign into the hands of the Admiral. The French fleet numbers twelve vessels, all steamers.

The American fleet is in this part, the Levant having been lying here three or four months. The Portsmouth, Minnesota and San Jacinto have arrived within the last four weeks. What they are here for is a matter of some surmise. It is shameful that the United States should not make common cause with the English and French, sharing with them the burden of thearar, as they certainly will claim to share the benefits resulting from it. There is certainly some acerbity of feeling upon on point—none the less strong in the higher circles, because politeness prevents the expression of it. It is not forgotten that while England was, during the last war, shaking the tree, the United States were pocketing the apples; and it was to prevent a like division of labor that the blockade of the river was so strictly enforced. Mr. Reed will have scope for all his good nature, and all his common sense too, if he is managed to keep among the belligerents and yet not be of them. The rebel force is gradually hemming in the city and province from the interior, eager to avenge the cruel slaughter perpetrated upon them by the Chinese three years ago. The blood of more than 60,000 rebels, executed by order of this same Canton Governor Yeh, calls loudly for revenge; and, so sure as the Cantonese are driven from their strongholds, back upon the rebels, the latter will take fearful revenge for the tortures and death inflicted upon their less fortunate predecessors. Should the city yield without a struggle, and throw itself upon the protection of the English, there will be quite a complicated affair—for doubtless the English force must then hold the rebels in check, and thus come into collision with what will doubtless ere long be the ruling power in China.

From the advance squadron—a part of which it less than a mile from the city—we learn that everything seems quiet within it, and that there seem to be no preparations for defense. The square fort which overlooks the city from the north (and which the English captured during the last war) is evidently well manned, and, so far as Chinese means go, well armed. There is also another fort commanding the water front of the city, which will probably be taken before the gun-boats take up their positions. It is currently reported among the Chinese that the inner city is completely mined, and that the English troops will be sent up like sky-rockets. If the city is really mined, there is little doubt but that the bombardment and consequent conflagration will explode everything explodable long before the landing force enters the city. The doom of Canton is sealed—its prestige seem to be lost, and the province which for more than a thousand years has held the palm for bravery and desperate fighting, although the last to yield to foreign encroachment, must admit the hated barbarians within its limits.

LYNCHING OF A SUPPOSED COUNTERFEITER.—On Saturday last, a company of men residing in the region of Miamitown, about 14 miles from this city, proceeded to the farmhouse of a man named Benjamin Coleman, residing about a mile or two distant, who has been suspected of dealing in counterfeit coin, and of other depredations against the peace of the neighborhood. The company threatened to hang him unless he confessed and exposed the gang. Coleman declared his innocence of any offence, or any knowledge of others engaged in the various outrages complained of. He was then seized, and a rope placed around his neck, by which he was suspended in mid air, and after being nearly suffocated, was lowered to the ground. On recovering from the strangulation, he still refused to confess, when he was run up a second time, and suspended till the blood gushed from his nose, when he was again lowered to the earth in an unconscious state. A third time he revived, but refused to confess, when he was stripped and laid across a log, and severely flogged with a whip. Finding they could get nothing from him, the company left him upon the ground, where he was found by his friends. Coleman was yesterday in a very precarious condition.—*Cin. Gaz.*

ANTI-LECOMPTONITES.—The Washington correspondent of the Albany *Journal* says:

"Mr. George Bancroft, the historian, after listening to the President's Lecompton Message, turned to a friend and in glowing words denounced it as the most infamous document ever sent into Congress.

"By the by, among the most zealous opponents of the Lecompton swindle in this city is Henry S. Foote, ex Senator from Mississippi, now of California—he who, on the floor of the Senate, threatened that the people of Mississippi, would hang Hale if he ever came to that State."

THE LATEST PREDICTION.—An Irish political Zadkiel has published an almanac, in which he predicts that 1858 will be a most disastrous and inglorious year for England. Russia will get the better of her in India; France will strive to strike a decisive blow against her; Canada will revolt; 30,000 Irishmen will be in arms. In short, all the worst wishes of a fiery enemy of England will be fulfilled. The "beaten beast," John Bull, having "exhausted the patience of heaven," is told by this Hibernian prophet, that the day is at hand "when the nations shall tread thee under foot as a social, political, and irreligious nuisance!"

RATHER A SALTY LAKE.—There is a lake 200 miles long, between Corpus Christi and Brazos Santiago, so salt that a skiff cannot proceed but about 20 miles from the latter place, because of large, solidified cakes, extending clear across the passage—so says a writer in the Pinconning *Sentinel*, who has visited it. The same writer adds that on the side of the main land, crystallized salt is to be seen piled up in blocks, one upon another, and shining in the sun like glaciers.

Insurance Statements.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
Home Insurance Company,
OF NEW YORK, ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 1858.

MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF THE State of Illinois, pursuant to the laws of the said State.

NAME AND LOCATION.

The name of this Company is The Home Insurance Company, incorporated in 1853, and located in the city of New York.

CAPITAL.

The capital of said Company actually paid up in cash is $300,000 00
The amount of the net cash assets of said Company on the first day of January, 1858, is 1,174,105 18
Total amount of capital and surplus $1,474,105 18

ASSETS.

Cash in Bank	$27,300 00
Cash in hands of agents and in course of transmission	34,000 75
Value of all real estate owned by the Company	65,000 00
Loans on bonds and mortgages, being first lien upon real estate worth in the aggregate the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars	25,000 00
Loans on bonds and mortgages, being first lien upon real estate worth in the aggregate the sum of Ninety-five Thousand Dollars	65,000 00
Loans on bonds and mortgages, being second lien upon real estate worth in the aggregate the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars	20,000 00
All other bonds and mortgages	71,000 00
Bank stocks owned by the Company (Market Value)	
Bonds of the United States owned by the Company (Market Value)	
Bonds of the State of New York owned by the Company (Market Value)	
Bonds of the State of Illinois owned by the Company (Market Value)	
Bonds of other States owned by the Company (Market Value)	14,875 00
Premium Note and interest accrued on policies issued at the office	2,000 00
Premium Notes and interest on policies issued through agencies	
Bills, Notes, &c.	
Total Assets	$1,324,346 84

LIABILITIES.

Losses adjusted, and due and unpaid	
Losses in course of adjustment	$24,671 12
Losses reported, on which no action has been taken	
Claims for losses resisted by the Company	5,000 00
Dividends declared and due and unpaid	1,000 00
Dividends, other than scrip, not yet due	1,716 00
Scrip dividends	
Amount borrowed	
All other existing claims against the Company	
Total am't losses, claims and liabilities	$31,110 12

The greatest amount insured on any one risk is $50,000, but we not as a general rule exceed $12,000.

The Company have no general rule as to the amount allowed to be insured in any town, village or block, having the intention of the Directors to distribute its risks in such a manner as not to run more than $50,000 by a single fire.

The part of the capital or surplus not invested in any other form or security, is in the bonds and mortgages, and in the notes of the said corporation, and that they are fully secured by the bonds and mortgages.

CHARLES F. MARTIN, President.

F. MORRIS TAPPEN, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn before me this 8th day of January, A.D. 1858.
WILLIAM BURRED,
Commissioner in New York.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

CHARLES J. MARTIN, President, and F. MORRIS TAPPEN, Secretary of the Home Insurance Company, being severally sworn, depose and say that the foregoing statement of the said Company, is true, and that the foregoing statement of the said Company, is true, and that the assets of said Company, that the said Insurance Company is duly authorized to transact the business of insurance in the State of Illinois, and that the said Company has a bona fide capital of one hundred thousand dollars, in cash, and that the said Company has a bona fide capital invested in stocks and mortgages, and has fled in this office a written instrument signed by the President and Secretary thereof, appointing the said C. Martin, of Chicago, its Agent for the transaction of the business of life and Chicago, and that said appointment is authorizing him to acknowledge service of process for and in behalf of said Company, consenting that service of process upon him, the said Agent, shall be taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the Company, and waiving all claims of error by reason of such service.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the agencies of Insurance Companies not incorporated by the laws of this State," approved February 17, 1855, and as set amendatory thereto, approved January 20, 1857, and as set amendatory thereto, approved January 20, 1857, I, the undersigned, Auditor of Public Accounts, do hereby certify that the said H. Home Insurance Company, has complied with the laws of this State, relative to such companies, and that they are the above described officers of said Company.

C. C. SATTERLEE, President.
HENRY WESTON, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of February, 1858.
WILLIAM BURRED,
Commissioner in N. York for the State of Illinois.

(Original.)
Certificate to expire on the 31st day of January, 1858.
AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
Springfield, January 30, 1858.

Whereas the Washington Fire Marine Company, located at New York, in the state of New York, has filed in this office a statement of the condition of its affairs, as required by "An Act to regulate the Agencies of Insurance Companies not incorporated by the laws of Illinois," approved February 17, 1855, and as set amendatory thereto, approved January 20, 1857; and, whereas said Company has furnished satisfactory evidence that it is possessed of the required amount of capital invested in stocks and mortgages, and has filed in this office a written instrument signed by the President and Secretary thereof, appointing H. B. Willmarth, of Chicago, its agent for the transaction of the business of life and Chicago, and that said appointment authorizing him to acknowledge service of process for and in behalf of said Company, consenting that service of process upon him, the said Agent, shall be taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the Company, and waiving all claims of error by reason of such service.

Now, therefore, I, the undersigned, Auditor of Public Accounts, do hereby certify that the said H. B. Willmarth, of Chicago, is authorized as an agent for the said Washington Fire and Marine Company, to transact the business of Insurance in this State, until the first day of January, 1858, and that said company has a bona fide capital of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, in cash, and has invested in stocks and mortgages, and has fled in this office a written instrument signed by the President and Secretary thereof, appointing the said H. B. Willmarth, of Chicago, its agent for the transaction of the business of life and Chicago, and that said appointment authorizing him to acknowledge service of process for and in behalf of said Company, consenting that service of process upon him, the said Agent, shall be taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the Company, and waiving all claims of error by reason of such service.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the seal of my office, at Springfield, this 8th day of January, A.D. 1858.
JESSE K. DUBOIS, Auditor P. A.

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Legal Notices.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE BY Walter F. Sykes in the payment of the sum of four hundred and eighty dollars, as set forth in the Affidavit for foreclosure of said mortgage, dated January 16th, 1856, covering the undersigned, as assignee, hereby gives notice that he will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the premises described in said mortgage, viz: Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block Three (3) in Sykes' Addition to Chicago, on Saturday, the 26th day of March, A. D. 1858, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the north door of the Court House in the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook and State of Illinois, to satisfy said mortgage, interest and costs. Terms of sale, cash. ROBERT S. BAKER, Mortgagee.

Chicago, February 8, 1858.—feb6-w4t

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.

Frederick Otto vs. Ole Peterson.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 16th day of January, A. D. 1858, at the suit of Frederick Otto, against the estate of the defendant, Ole Peterson, for the sum of one hundred and eighty dollars and ninety-five cents ($180 95) and costs of suit, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to the said Ole Peterson, that he shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1858, at the Court House in the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook, and plead, answer or demur to the said Frederick Otto, and in default thereof judgment will be taken against him, and the said property will be sold to satisfy the said demand and costs.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

A. LAMBIE, PTH'S ATTY.—feb20-4w$3

CHANCERY NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS—COOK COUNTY—ss.
Circuit Court of Cook County, March Term, A. D. 1858.

Conrad S. Hough vs. Charles J. Kershaw, Charles J. Cushman and Harper D. Hawkins—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE of Charles J. Cushman and Harper D. Hawkins, defendants above named, being filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, notice is hereby given to the said Charles J. Cushman and Harper D. Hawkins, that Conrad S. Hough, complainant, has filed his bill of complaint in said Circuit Court of Cook County, on the chancery side thereof, on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1858, and that a summons issued thereon on said bill of complaint, returnable on the first Monday in March next, 1858, has been duly served upon said Charles J. Cushman, and that the said Harper D. Hawkins is not a resident of the State of Illinois, and that the said defendants are required to appear to said bill of complaint on the first Monday in March next, 1858, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, and that the same will be taken as confessed as against said defendants.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

C. S. HOUGH, Comp'lt's Sol'r.—feb20-4w$3

CHANCERY NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS—COUNTY OF COOK—ss.
Circuit Court of Cook County, March Term, A. D. 1858.

Andrew Miller vs. Margaret Miller—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE of Margaret Miller, defendant above named, being filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, notice is hereby given to the said Margaret Miller, that Andrew Miller, the complainant, filed his bill of complaint in said Court, on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1858, and that a summons issued thereon on the 16th day of January, 1858, and that a subpoena thereupon issued out of said Court, on the 16th day of January, 1858, returnable on the first Monday in March next, 1858, and that the said defendant is not a resident of the State of Illinois, and that the said defendant is required to appear to said bill of complaint on the first Monday in March next, 1858, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, and that the same will be taken as confessed as against said defendant.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

A. LAMBIE, PTH'S ATTY.—feb20-4w$3

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, January Special Term, A. D. 1858.

Augustus C. Hatton and Brian Tuite vs. John O. Rutter.—Assumpsit.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in the suit John O. Rutter, plaintiff, vs. Augustus C. Hatton and Brian Tuite, defendants, in assumpsit, the defendants have filed their affidavit of merits, and that the said John O. Rutter, plaintiff, has commenced suit against the said Augustus C. Hatton and Brian Tuite, in the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook, which said suits have been returned executed.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that the said John O. Rutter, plaintiff, will be at the Court House in the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook, on or before the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Cook County, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook, on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1858, and plead, answer or demur to the said affidavit of merits, and that the said suits will be tried and judgment rendered thereon.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

DUNCAN & SLATER, PTF'S ATT'YS.—feb20-4w$3

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.

Atlantic Carter vs. Frank Valli and John Chiapelli.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 16th day of February, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said Atlantic Carter, against the estate of the said Frank Valli and John Chiapelli, for the sum of two hundred dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook county, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that the said Frank Valli and John Chiapelli, defendants, are required to be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook, on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1858, and plead to the said Atlantic Carter, who has filed his bill against the said defendants, and that the said property will be sold to satisfy the said demand and costs.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

ASHTON, LAMBIE & LAY, PTF'S ATT'YS.—feb20-4w$3

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.

Joseph T. Ryerson vs. Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 16th day of February, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said Joseph T. Ryerson, and against the estate of the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, for the sum of one hundred and eighty-five dollars, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, notice you, the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook, on the first Monday in March next, 1858, and plead to the said Joseph T. Ryerson, who has filed his bill against the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, and default in the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company will be taken and judgment rendered against you in favor of the said Joseph T. Ryerson, and also the said property will be sold to satisfy the said demand and costs.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

A. LAMBIE, PTH'S ATT'Y.—feb20-4w$3

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.

Cornelius H. Walker vs. William F. Morrill, Sam Hoskins & Co.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 16th day of February, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said William F. Morrill, Sam Hoskins & Co., against the estate of the said Cornelius H. Walker, for the sum of two hundred dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, notice you, the said Cornelius H. Walker, that you shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on the first Monday in March next, 1858, at the Court House in the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook, and plead, answer or demur to the said William F. Morrill, Sam Hoskins & Co., who have filed their bill against the said Cornelius H. Walker, and default in the said Cornelius H. Walker will be taken and judgment rendered against you in favor of the said William F. Morrill, Sam Hoskins & Co., and also the said property will be sold to satisfy the said demand and costs.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

A. LAMBIE, PTH'S ATT'Y.—feb20-4w$3

Legal Notices.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

WHEREAS FREDERICK HARDING of Cook County, Illinois, by his deed of trust, bearing date the thirty-first day of October, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, and recorded in the Recorder's office of said County of Cook, in book 11 of Mortgages, page 1, conveyed to the undersigned, Trustees, the following described premises, situated in said County of Cook, viz: Lots one and two in Block 1, in Hardin's Addition to Chicago, and the south half of lot 4,